

THIEF CHASE LEADS INTO FIFTH AVENUE

Negroes Get Diamond Rings Valued at \$1,700 and Scurry From Store.

Barnett Nemets, owner of a jewelry store at the northeast corner of Sixth avenue and Thirty-ninth street, listened yesterday afternoon to the story of two negroes who said they had just won \$5,000 at the racetrack. Then he produced two diamond rings worth \$1,700 for their inspection. Slipping a revolver into his pocket for precaution's sake, he wriggled his head and shoulders through an opening into his show window to get a gold watch one of them said he wanted to buy. There was a shuffle of feet as he reached for the timepiece and he quickly drew back into the shop, drawing the gun as he did so. The negroes were running into the street, and the two rings they had been examining were gone.

There began then a chase that sent shoppers ducking for safety into doorways and stores. Nemets, leading a crowd of several hundred persons who had heard his shouts for help, followed the negroes into Thirty-ninth street. He stopped long enough to fire two shots and look up and down for policemen, and then went in pursuit toward Fifth avenue.

The negroes were outfooting Nemets when Policeman Peter Kelly of the West Thirtieth street station joined in the chase in a taxicab. Kelly fired two shots but they failed to stop the negroes. At Fifth avenue the smaller of the two negroes slipped and sprained his foot, and Kelly, realizing that he would be caught by Nemets, went on to Fifth avenue, continuing after the other man.

Kelly saw a negro run into the hallway of a building between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets. He followed him and caught him as he tried to escape up the stairs.

Meanwhile the smaller negro had been halted at the side entrance of Lord & Taylor's department store by Maurice Barry, one of the store's watchmen. Policeman Leo Carey of the West Thirtieth street station and Nemets took charge of the second prisoner.

When questioned at the West Thirtieth street station the prisoners said they were Madison Johnson, 25, of 14 West 131st street, and James Dickerson, 34, of 293 West 130th street. In Johnson's possession, the police said, were found the two rings taken from Nemets's store. The negroes were locked up on charges of grand larceny.

WOUNDED WAR VETERAN ARRESTED IN HOLDUP

Taken at Hospital in Cigar Store Robbery.

Investigation yesterday into the attempted holdup of the United Cigar Stores Company's shop at Eighth avenue and 130th street Friday night led to a second arrest, that of Spencer Gay, machinist, of 198 Hicks street, Brooklyn. Gay, who is a veteran of the world war, was taken prisoner as he left the United States Public Health Service Hospital in Fox Hills, Staten Island. His arrest followed the questioning of William Mutch of 306 West 146th street, who was locked up immediately following the attempted robbery.

Detectives Birmingham and Connolly of the West 138th street station said Gay was followed to the hospital, where he went for treatment of a gunshot wound received in France.

David Bogart, clerk of the store, it was said, identified the second prisoner as the man who was with Mutch. Gay refused to talk.

'HOODOO' COP INJURED FIFTH TIME IN 4 MONTHS

"I guess I'm the hoodoo cop, all right, all right," declared Policeman Christian Waldeck of the Coney Island precinct as he lay in bed in the Coney Island Hospital last night, suffering from a broken right shoulder and other injuries. "This is five times in four months that I have been laid low while doing traffic duty. It is the third time an automobile had knocked me out; once a dog bit me and another time I was attacked by a gang."

Waldeck was on duty at West Eighth street and Surf avenue last night when he was struck by an automobile operated by John Gallagher of 63 Jefferson avenue, Brooklyn. Gallagher was arrested and charged with assault. Waldeck lives at 1317 Coney avenue. It probably will be a couple of weeks at least before he gets back to his traffic station.

U. S. AGENT IS HELD AFTER MOTOR CRASH

Wrecked Machine Overtakes, Injuring Six, of Whom a Boy May Die.

Joseph A. Davis, an internal revenue agent of 109 East 137th street, was detained last night as a material witness after an automobile which he said he had been using in making investigations crashed into the rear of a light touring car on the Boston Post road near Gunhill road, The Bronx, overturning the smaller car and injuring four of its six occupants. Antonio Maddi, aged 19, of 32nd street, is expected to die from his injuries.

Besides the Maddi boy, those taken to Fordham Hospital were: Frank Manzappa, aged 27, of 232 Holland avenue, The Bronx, owner of the

car, lacerations; Nancy Manzappa, 4, his daughter, severe body bruises, and Beatrice Maddi, 14, sister of Antonio, fractured left arm and body bruises.

The other passengers in the overturned car were Mrs. Mary Manzappa, wife of the driver, and their son, Frank, Jr.

Both cars were going north. The one in which Davis was riding was driven by Henry Albert Wiaben, aged 26, of 24 Kress avenue, New Rochelle, to whom Davis referred as his "chauffeur."

Wiaben was arrested on charges of felonious assault and reckless driving after an investigation by Edward J. Chapman, Assistant District Attorney of The Bronx. Wiaben said he turned out to pass the smaller machine and believed he would clear it.

Manzappa was said to have told the authorities that he had no warning of the accident, that there was a sudden shock and the car turned over before any one had time to jump. Wiaben stopped immediately.

James Haggerty, motorcycle patrolman, detained Davis and Wiaben and had the injured taken to the hospital. The examination of the two men was continued at Wakefield police station, where Davis produced his credentials. Mr. Chapman said later that Davis had not detailed what investigations he had been making while using Wiaben's car.

\$300 PRICE IS FIXED ON HEAD OF NEGROES

Asserted Organized Plot Exists to Slay Black Trainmen on Illinois Central.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD. WATER VALLEY, Miss., July 30.—That an organized labor plot exists to intimidate and slay negro trainmen in an effort to drive them from the Illinois Central line was the charge made here today following the arraignment and indictment of Boss Brower and Ross Cardwell, non-employees of the road, on a charge of lying in ambush and shooting Gus Embury, a negro fireman, as the train on which he was working was passing Velm, just south of this city, on July 19.

The shooting followed the receipt of

one of the letters signed "Zulus" which negro employees of the road have received warning them to quit and holding out the threat of death if they remained in the service of the road or its allied line—the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley. It came as the sequel to the slaying of three or four negro trainmen employed by the two roads and night attacks on others.

Two have been Ambushed and killed on the Y. and S. M. V. Railroad near Cermorant, Miss. One has been slain near Raines, Tenn. Just out of Memphis, another met death as his train was passing Aberdeen Junction, near Memphis. Two were wounded near Sturgis on the Aberdeen and Durant branch of the Illinois Central. In almost every case it is said a letter was either left in the mail box at one terminus of the negro's run or sent to his home.

According to information received by Illinois Central officials, a price of \$300 has been placed on the head of every negro working for the road.

Brower made bond and was immediately arrested by Deputy United States Marshal E. E. Temple on a charge of conspiracy to deprive certain persons of equal privileges, rights and immunities, upon information furnished

by L. E. Oilham, United States Attorney. Brower was carried to Oxford, Miss., where he had a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner H. T. Smith and was held in default of \$2,000 bond.

SOME RELIEF COMES IN LESSENER HUMIDITY

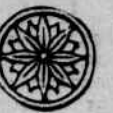
A lowering of the temperature to 60 degrees at 6 o'clock yesterday morning appeared to be the starting point for cooler weather. Although the thermometers registered as high as 85 degrees at 4 in the afternoon, there was a lessening of the humidity and consequently a relief from the intense heat and dampness of the earlier days of the week.

Two deaths and three prostrations were traceable to the heat, the police reported. Rosario Ruggiero, 17 years old, of 6699 Fourteenth avenue, who went to the beach at Gravesend Bay went in swimming late in the afternoon and was drowned. He was seized with cramps, the result of entering the water while over-heated.

Adolph Dowdennikov, 43 years old, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., died at the E. R. T. terminal, Brighton Beach, from the effect of the heat.



FRANKLIN SIMON & CO



A STORE OF INDIVIDUAL SHOPS FIFTH AVENUE, 37TH AND 38TH STREETS NEW YORK

Present for Madame and Mademoiselle

THE BLOUSE GOWN

Introducing a New and Interesting Silhouette for Fall



Gowns for Mademoiselle

OF CANTON SILK CRÉPE, CRÉPE METEOR, PICOTINE, POIRET TWILL OR TWILLCORD

Gowns for Madame

OF CANTON SILK CRÉPE, CRÉPE SHEBA, METEOR, POIRET TWILL OR TWILLCORD

THE bloused waistline is the password to the autumn mode whose watchword is the lengthened skirt, and the result is a silhouette that subtly suggests old Russia, imbued with the chic of the Rue de la Paix, a vogue that permits individuality, with a waistline whose location is not a matter of a fashion but a matter of choice.

59.50 to 285.00

WOMEN'S GOWN SHOP—Third Floor

WHAT is more picturesque and youthful than the blouse of the Quartier Latin and from this blouse Mademoiselle takes her fashion inspiration for the first frock of the autumn season—artful as Art itself—emphasizing the boyish slenderness of the modern young woman—its success is assured with its first presentation—a fashion destined to influence and enrich the winter mode.

45.00 to 165.00

MISSSES' GOWN SHOP—Second Floor

With Sleeves That Are Unusual in Fashion and Skirts That Are Unexpected in Length The Blouse Gown Establishes its Claim to Smartness and Distinction



Franklin Simon & Co.



Franklin Simon & Co.

A Store of Individual Shops

FIFTH AVE.—37th and 38th Sts.

FOR PHOTOGRAPHS OF THESE COATS SEE BACK PAGE OF THE ROTOGRAVURE SECTION OF THIS NEWSPAPER.

AUGUST FUR SALE

Offering the latest Fur Fashions for Winter 1921-1922 at the Lowest Prices at which High Grade Furs have been sold in a number of years. These Prices will prevail until August 31st only.

HUDSON SEAL COAT (dyed muskrat) 40 in. long, collar and cuffs of skunk. Last season's price \$450 295.00

HUDSON SEAL COAT-WRAP (dyed muskrat) 48 in. long, bloused model; Mandarin sleeves. Last season's price \$850 475.00

CARACUL COAT 40 in. long, flared skirt; collar of squirrel or Kolinsky. Last season's price \$695 450.00

SQUIRREL AND SCOTCH MOLE COAT 45 in. long, bloused model combined with taupe squirrel. Last season's price \$1250 850.00

GENUINE RUSSIAN ERMINE WRAP 46 in. long, with draped back and deep crush collar. Last season's price \$1950 1250.00

PERSIAN LAMB COAT 45 in. long, collar of gray squirrel, skunk or Kolinsky. Last season's price \$595 395.00

FEMININE FUR SHOP—Fourth Floor

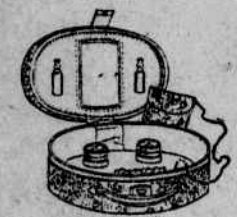


89 Regent Street For the convenience of Americans in London, purchases may be charged to home accounts.

Man is an animal that has more feeling than reason.

It is the feeling that people demand lower prices, that causes these Reductions.

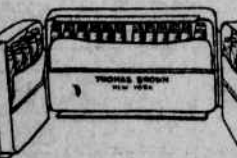
Cross "Auto" Cases



Two models, oval or oblong design. Complete vanity accessories and attached change purse. Ample space for extra gloves, veils and handkerchiefs. Persian silk, attractive lining. Oval case size: 8 1/2 x 5 x 3 1/2 inches. (Including \$18.38 tax)

Formerly \$31.24

Cross Cigar Magazine

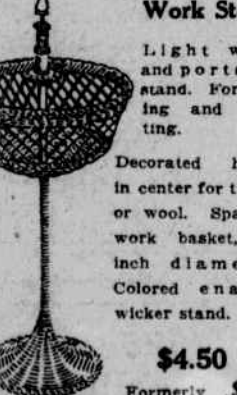


A convenient case for travelling, made to hold 24 cigars. Center opening, three compartments fitted with moisture pads. Colored pin morocco leather, lock and key. \$27.00

Formerly \$36.00

Initials or name stamped without charge. Address stamped 35c per line extra.

Cross Work Stand



Decorated holder in center for thread or wool. Spacious work basket, 11-inch diameter. Colored enamel wicker stand.

\$4.50

Formerly \$7.00

Cross "Victoria" Bag



For "overnight" use. It is fitted with the necessary toilet and manicure articles, for daily use. Colored morocco leather, moire silk lining, white celluloid fittings. \$49.20

Formerly \$62.40

Size 16-inch. \$51.95

Formerly \$65.70

Monogram to order, extra.

A complete line of Bonnet Boxes, Week-end Cases, Wardrobe and Steamer Trunks, Luncheon Cases and Equestrian Goods displayed on the lower floor.

Mark Cross

The World's Greatest Leather Stores

NEW YORK

404 Fifth Ave. 253 Broadway (At 37th Street) (Opp. City Hall)

BOSTON LONDON 145 Tremont St. 89 Regent St.

Dealers Throughout the World